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SUBJECT: SEC. BUTZ' TRIP

PASS AGRICULTURE

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1. AMBASSADOR WOULD BE MOST HAPPY IF, IN ADDITION TO
SECRETARY AND MRS. BUTZ, MR. AND MRS. DAVID L. HUME WOULD STAY
AT THE RESIDENCE.

2. FOR OTHERS IN PARTY, RESERVATIONS HAVE BEEN MADE AT MANILA
INTERCONTINENTAL HOTEL FOR APRIL 8 THROUGH 10 INCLUDING DOUBLES
FOR MR. AND MRS. HALE AND MR. AND MRS. GRANT, AND 15 SINGLES.

3. REGARDING REF. C., A RESERVATION ALSO HAS BEEN MADE FOR
MR. ROBERT E. SULLIVAN AT THE BAYVIEW HOTEL FOR MARCH 29 AND 30.

4. WE PROPOSE THE FOLLOWING TENTATIVE PROGRAM FOR SECRETARY
BUTZ' VISIT, SUBJECT TO CHANGE AS ARRANGEMENTS DEVELOP:

MONDAY, APRIL 8

1745 - ARRIVE AT MANILA INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT -- ARRIVAL
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CEREMONIES TO BE DECIDED.

1930 - DINNER IN HONOR OF SECRETARY AND MRS. BUTZ AND VISITING PARTY INCLUDING THE LADIES AT THE RESIDENCE FOR AROUND 48 PEOPLE, TO INCLUDE PHILIPPINE GOVERNMENT AND PRIVATE LEADERS CONCERNED WITH AGRICULTURE AND AGRICULTURAL TRADE WITH THE UNITED STATES.

TUESDAY, APRIL 9

AS THIS IS BATAAN DAY, A PHILIPPINE NATIONAL HOLIDAY, ALL BUSINESS AND GOVERNMENT OFFICES WILL BE CLOSED. CONSEQUENTLY, AN AGRICULTURAL TRIP AS REQUESTED IN PARAGRAPH 4 OF REF. A, BY AIR CONDITIONED BUS AND/OR HELICOPTER IS PROPOSED FOR ALL OF THE PARTY INCLUDING THE LADIES. A SEPARATE PROGRAM FOR THE LADIES, HOWEVER, WILL BE DEVELOPED AS DESIRED.

0830 - VISIT TO AMERICAN CEMETARY

0900 - LEAVE FOR LOS BANOS

1030 - CALL ON DEAN, COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE, UNIVERSITY OF THE PHILIPPINES AT LOS BANOS. TOUR OF COMPUS.

1130 - VISIT TO INTERNATIONAL RICE RESEARCH INSTITUTE.

1230 - LUNCH AT INTERNATIONAL RICE RESEARCH INSTITUTE.

1330 - LEAVE LOS BANOS

1415 - ARRIVE CANLUBANG SUGAR ESTATE.
INFORMAL DISCUSSION ON PHILIPPINE SUGAR WITH A FEW LEADERS OF THE INDUSTRY.

1515 - VISIT TO PROJECT INVOLVING USES OF PL480 COUNTERPART FUNDS.

1630 - ARRIVE AMBASSADOR'S RESIDENCE AND INTERCONTINENTAL HOTEL

1900 - DINNER IN HONOR OF SECRETARY BUTZ BY SECRETARY TANCO
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(TENTATIVE).

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 10

WE EXPECT THAT PRESIDENT MARCOS WILL WANT TO SEE SECRETARY BUTZ WHO WILL BE FIRST SECRETARY OF USG DEPARTMENT TO BE IN THE PHILIPPINES SINCE 1971. DEPENDING ON PRESIDENT MARCOS WISHES. IT MAY BE NECESSARY TO MODIFY THE FOLLOWING SCHEDULE:

0830 - MEETINGS AT EMBASSY.

0915 - ADDRESS STAFF OF EMBASSY

1000 - CALL ON SECRETARY ARTURO TANCO OF DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES

AUK100 - VISIT TO A SCHOOL TO OBSERVE PL480 TITLE II NUTRITION PROGRAM IN A BARRIO OF MANILA.

1130 - CALL AT OFFICE OF U.S. WHEAT ASSOCIATES

1200 - LUNCH BY PHILIPPINE ASSOCIATION OF FLOUR MILLERS, TO BE ATTENDED BY DEEDMILLERS, GRAIN IMPORTERS, AND GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS.

1500 - MEETING WITH MEMBERS OF TEXTILE MILLS ASSOCIATION OF THE PHILIPPINES AND PHILIPPINE ASSOCIATION OF COTTON TRADERS.

0900 - 1600 THE LADIES MAY WISH TO GO SIGHTSEEING AND SHOPPING THIS DAY. MRS. ROBERT B. EVANS, WIFE OF THE AGRICULTURAL ATTACHE, WOULD BE HAPPY TO HAVE LUNCH FOR THEM, WITH OTHER MISSION WIVES.

1830 - RECEPTION IN HONOR OF SECRETARY BUTZ AND PARTY WITH APPROXIMATELY 200 GUESTS AT RESIDENCE.

THURSDAY, APRIL 11

1000 - DEPART FOR TAIPEI.

5. IF SECRETARY BUTZ AGREES, MISSION WOULD PLAN TO PUT OUT PRESS STATEMENT AFTER HIS DEPARTURE.
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